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Applicant

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NOVEL FAB FRAGMENT LIBRARIES AND

METHODS FOR THEIR USE

New York, New York

June 22, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to file a response to the February 22, 2005 Final Office Action. With the extension, a Response is due on or before June 22, 2005. The small entity fee for a one-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) is \$60.00.

The Director is authorized to charge \$60.00 in payment of the extension fee and any additional fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No.

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(001157.0009). A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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